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Sir:

Attached is formal drawing 1 A submitted in response to the Notice Regarding Drawings dated May 20, 2005. This drawing meets the requirements specified in the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review. Acceptance thereof is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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